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CONGRATULATIONS!

Konami is proud to welcome you to Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles: Tournament Fighters for the Super Nintendo Entertainment System®. We hope you enjoy the game, and we encourage you to read through this instruction booklet to get the most satisfaction from your new game. Now get ready, because you're about to see the Turtles in action like you've never seen them before!

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Tournament Fighters!

It's bigger than the Super Bowl, bigger than any heavyweight championship, even bigger than WrestleFest XIV! The fiercest competitors from across the...

click!

The TV reporters image shrinks to a dot, then blips off the screen. "That's it, man. I'm signing up. I'll show 'em what tough really means!" With that, Raphael whips a Sai across the room, where it sticks deep into the wall.

Michaelangelo and Donatello look up from their game of cards as plaster sprays on the floor. "Dude! You better quit puttin' holes in April's walls." Michaelangelo says. "You know how ticked she gets when you do that."

Leonardo turns to the others with a thoughtful expression on his face. "Y'know, I think this tournament could be great," he says, "but I don't know if all four of us should enter. Why don't we have a contest to see who's the toughest among us, and then send that guy to the..."

At that moment an arrow crashes through the living room window and whines in front of Raph's head, missing him by inches. Startled, the Turtles look at the arrow and see a piece of paper tied around the shaft. Leo reaches out, takes the note, and reads it. When he finishes, he tells the others what was in the note.

The four youths look at each other in awe and anger. "Okay, it's time for action." Leo says with authority. "I don't know who this Karai is. Maybe Master Splinter knows. Let's go home and ask him—the tournament will have to wait for now."

STRETCH YOUR MUSCLES

...and get ready to fight. You have two paths to choose from: fight in the tournament or play through the story.

THE TOURNAMENT pits you against all the other characters in a major league slugfest. You'll fight hand-to-fin with the awesome Armaggon, and get a chance to slap around Wingnut—if he doesn't floor you with his patented Moon Buster attack. War will show you how he earned his name as he smashes your tail into the ground, and Aska will lay you out with her lightning fast Ninja kicks. And after a few electrifying rounds with Chrome Dome, you'll feel like you're made of clay. So if you're prepared for combat, this will be the one street fight you never forget.

THE STORY lets you pick a Turtle as your champion. Then, you have to prove yourself worthy of the rescue attempt by defeating the other characters in combat. If you are the toughest Turtle, you'll go face-to-face with every character as you try to save April—and Splinter! It's all-out face-smashing, bone-breaking brawling against the baddest group of mutants ever assembled in one game. Use really cool special attack moves and your powerful Ninja weapons to beat your opponents to a pulp. Every round you win leads you closer to unraveling the mystery—who is Karai?

GETTING STARTED

Insert the game pak into the Super NES player, and turn on the power. After a few legal screens, the Title/Mode Select screen will appear. If you don't press START, you'll see a fighting demo, a character profile, a tournament demo, then the Title screen again. Just press START and get on with it!

MODE SELECTION

Use the control pad to select either the TOURNAMENT, vs. BATTLE, STORY BATTLE, WATCH OF OPTION mode. When you have highlighted the mode you want, press the START button to enter.



Mode Select screen



Option screen

OPTION MODE SETTINGS

Press the control pad up/down to highlight a category; press left or right to change the options.

- GAME LEVEL—Change the setting from 0 (easiest) to 7 (hardest).
- CONTROL PAD—Adjust using Player 1 or Player 2 controllers. Use the control pad to highlight an attack, then press the button you want to correspond with that attack. For example, if you want FIERCE KICK to be the A button, then highlight FIERCE KICK and press the A button. All moves must have different buttons.
- GAME TIME—Select the time limit for each round of fighting: 30, 60 or 99 seconds. You can also select the infinity symbol to make each round a no-time-limit fight to the finish!
- GAME SPEED—Alter the fighting speed; make it Normal, or go for High speed 1 or 2.
- CREDIT—The number of continues can be set for STORY BATTLE mode to 1, 3 or 5.
- MUSIC—Press left/right to toggle between the different background music samples. Press B to start the music, and Y to stop it.
- VOICE—Press left/right to toggle between the different voice samples, then press B to listen.
- SOUND—Choose either STEREO or MONAURAL, depending on your system.
- EXIT—Select to return to the Mode Select screen.

RATTLE MODES

TOURNAMENT

(1 PLAYER; ANY CHARACTER)

You fight for money in Channel 6's Tournament Fighter competition. Just beat the selected opponent in two-out-of-three rounds to win a match. Fight through every available opponent (even a clone of your own character!) to take home big bucks.

- At the character select screen, choose one of the ten characters (by pressing the control pad left/right). Press the START button to select the highlighted character.
- Your computer-controlled opponent and fight stage will be selected automatically.

RULES:

- 1. Each match is a best-of-three match. The first fighter to earn two victories is the winner.
- 2. If you knock out (KO) your opponent before the clock runs out, you earn one victory. (Change the clock settings in the Options mode.)
- 3. If there isn't a KO within the time limit, then the fighter with the longest life gauge wins.
- 4. When you win a match you earn prize money and advance to the next match.
- 5. You can fight a match as many times as you wish (unlimited continues).

NOTE: If a second player wishes to join in, he/she may press START on the 2P controller. This switches you to vs BATTLE mode, and you cannot switch back to TOURNAMENT mode. This works in STORY MODE, too.

VS RATTLE

(2 PLAYERS; ANY CHARACTER)

Two players can battle each other using any two of the ten characters they wish—even the same character. It's a best two-out-of-three battle for big bucks and bragging rights.

- At the character select screen, each player chooses a fighter using his/her control pad. Press START to select your fighter.
- After you have both selected a fighter, you will be taken to the stage select screen. Either player may choose a stage with the control pad, then accept it with the START button.
- Press SELECT at the character select screen to bring up the configuration screen (if you want to change the default button settings on your controller).
- Press SELECT at the stage select screen to set "handicap". Press SELECT to return to the stage select or press START to go right to the stage that was highlighted before entering the "handicap" screen.

RULES:

- 1. Each match is a best-of-three match. The first fighter to earn two victories is the winner.
- 2. If you knock out your opponent before the clock runs out, you earn one victory.
- 3. If there isn't a KO within the time limit, then the fighter with the longest life gauge wins.
- 4. You can check your win-loss record after every match, then return to the character select screen.
- 5. You can fight as many times as you wish (unlimited continues).

STORY BATTLE

(1 PLAYER: ANY TURTLE)

You select one of the Turtles as your champion, then fight through Channel 6's Tournament Fighter competition with the goal of discovering who is behind the kidnapping of April and Splinter. You will be fighting through all of the other characters to gather information and save your friends.

- At the character select screen, choose one of the Turtles. Press the START button to select the highlighted character.
- Your computer-controlled opponent and fight stage will be selected automatically.

RULES:

- 1. Each match is a best-of-three match. The first fighter to earn two victories is the winner.
- 2. If you knock out your opponent before the clock runs out, you earn one victory.
- 3. If there isn't a KO within the time limit, then the fighter with the longest life gauge wins.
- 4. When you lose, the game is over.
- 5. You can continue as long as you have credit left. The number of CONTINUE credits is set in the Option mode.

WATCH

(0 PLAYERS; SELECT COMPATANTS)

Select two fighters (using the 1- and 2-Player control pads), pick the stage, then sit back, grab a safe seat and watch the battle begin!

CONTROLLING YOUR FIGHTER

Each fighter has two punches, two kicks, and a variety of special moves. The way your fighter carries out these moves differs based on the proximity of your opponent.

Note: All of the moves and button-pressing combinations listed are for a fighter on the left side of the screen attacking an opponent on the right side of the screen. If you are attacking from right-to-left, the moves are reversed.

FIGHTER -> OPPONENT

The default button settings are:

X button Fierce punch

Y button Normal punch

A button Fierce kick

B button Normal kick

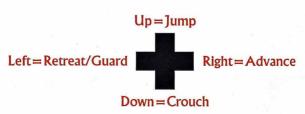
START button Pause

SELECT button (For VS BATTLE mode only) at the stage select screen press the SELECT button to change the handicap and controller buttons.

Handicap: 0=weakest; 7=strongest.

(Note: These settings can be changed using the Option mode. The Left/Right buttons are not used in the defaults.)

The control pad directions are:



MOVES AND ATTACKS

Guard—If you GUARD against an opponent's attack, you can block it and reduce the amount of damage taken. If you block a NORMAL or FIERCE attack you take no damage. Trying to block special attack moves is tough. These forces are so strong that some degree of damage will occur if you are unfortunate enough to be caught in their path.

Near attacks—These are done when you are standing next to another fighter. There are two types of NEAR ATTACKS—throws and holds. For example, Armaggon has a hold move where he grabs his opponent and repeatedly bites him/her. Aska has a devastating facemask throw. To execute a NEAR ATTACK, approach an opponent and press the control pad plus the X, Y or A button (depending on the character) in his/her direction to throw him/her. If you press the button and quickly press the control pad in the other direction, you will throw the enemy that way.

Knockout—If you take continuous hits from your opponent you will get dazed and confused—as if you were hit by a lead blimp. You'll start to see stars spinning around your head. Tap any button and press left/right on the control pad to speed your recovery and regain control.

Special attacks and the ultimate-attack—Every character has special attack moves and one ultimate attack move. You will find the control sequences for these moves listed in the following pages with each character profile.

GAUGE GUIDE

Each fighter has two gauges: a life gauge and an ultimateattack gauge.

Life gauge—Each time you take a hit your life gauge decreases. When your life gauge is empty, you lose the fight.

Ultimate attack gauge—Your ultimate-attack gauge increases as you hit your opponent. When it is full, you can use your ultimate-attack move. Using the move radically drops the level of your gauge, so you will have to build it back up. Your ultimate-attack gauge will slowly decrease with time if you stop landing hits on your opponent.

Note: There isn't an ultimate attack gauge in Story mode, because you can't use the ultimate attack move!





Height: 5'8"
Weight: 170 lbs
Hair: None

Eyes: Black

Birth place: McMahon's Pet Emporium, Chesabeake Bay

Weapons: Katana blades

Goals: To be the king of the Tournament Fighters!

SPECIAL ATTACKS:

Endless screw
 Spin, swing Katanas in both hands and attack.

4∠←+X (or Y)



Shining cutter
 Cross blades in both hands
 quickly, sending a shock wave.
 ↓ ¥ → + X (or Y)







Roto cutter
Swing swords while spinning
in midair.

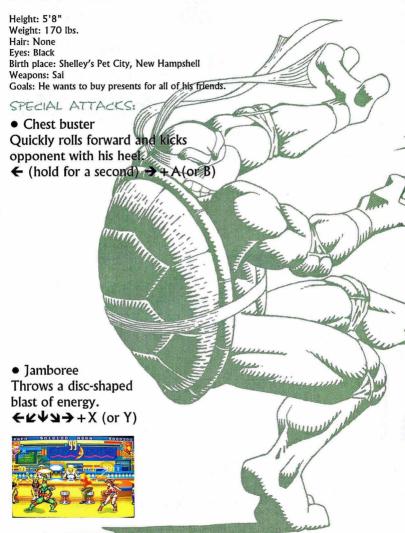
ULTIMATE-ATTACK MOVE:

Millennium wave

By thrusting his arms out quickly, Leo can send out countless shock waves.

X+A (when ultimate-attack gauge is full)

RAPHAEL



Power drill
 Thrusts his Sai and stabs while spinning.
 ← (hold for a second) → +X (or Y)



ULTIMATE-ATTACK MOVE:

Energy spray

Jumps in the air and sprays a barrage of energy balls.

X+A (when ultimate-attack gauge is full)



DONATELLO

Height: 5'8" Weight: 170 lbs. Hair: None

Eyes: Black

Birth place: Joe's Pet Place, Slowklahoma

Weapons: Bo Staff

Goals: Working on a new invention and needs more money to make his dream come true.

SPECIAL ATTACKS:

• Bo thrust

Attack while thrusting bo madly.

X (Y) tapping quickly



• Ground claw
Slash the ground with
Bo and unleash a
ground-ripping claw.

◆ → + X (or Y)





• Headspin attack
Turn upside-down, scissor
legs, spin and attack.

V∠ + A (or B)

ULTIMATE-ATTACK MOVE:

• Fire Dragon

Summons a Dragon spirit and shoots out a Dragon wave. X+A (when ultimate-attack gauge is full)



MICHAELANGELO

Height: 5'8" Weight: 170 lbs. Hair: None

Eyes: Black
Birth place: Woody's P

Birth place: Woody's Pet Shop, Pennshellvania

Weapons: Nunchakus

Goals: He is planning a vacation of surfing and skateboarding.

SPECIAL ATTACKS:

• Rising thunder Spins quickly and sends out an uppercut.

 Ψ (hold for a second) $\uparrow + X$ (or Y)



ULTIMATE-ATTACK MOVE:

Dance of fury
 Non-stop punching and kicking.
 X+A (when ultimate-attack gauge is full)





• Dynamite bomber Rolls forward quickly and gives continuous damage with his back and shoulders.

 \leftarrow (hold for a second) \rightarrow +X (or Y)



Dragon breath
 Shoots energy balls from his mouth.
 モレヤン→+X (or Y)
 Execute very quickly



WAR

Height: 8' Weight: 350 lbs.

Hair: None Eyes: Red

Birth place: Underworld Weapons: Razor sharp 6" talons

Goals: Destruction.

SPECIAL ATTACKS:

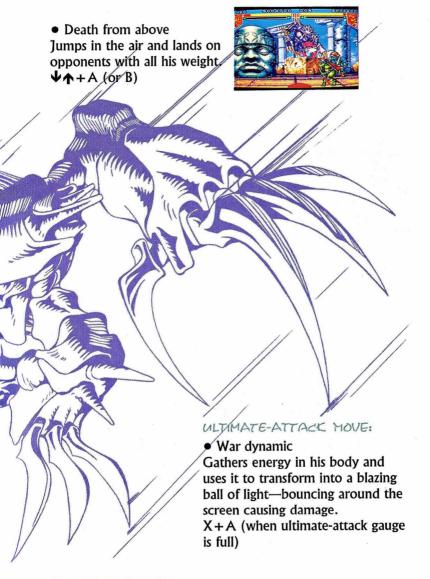
Turning uppercut

Twists his body, gathers energy, then delivers a powerful uppercut.

← (hold for a second) → 4X (or Y









Height: 5'2" Weight: 110 lbs. Hair: Black

Eyes: Black

Birth place: Kyoto, Japan

Weapons: Kunai

Goals: She is a master of Ninjitsu and wishes to own her own dojo.

SPECIAL ATTACKS:



• Spin attack Thrusts her Kunai and spins at a high speed. **V∠** + A (or B)





WINGNUT

Height: 6' Weight: 300 lbs. Hair: Black Eyes: Yellow

Birth place: Dexlon V in the Huana system. Weapons: Plasma Propelled Bat-wing Goals: Thinks the tournament will be

fun-a good way to kill time.

SPECIAL ATTACKS



Moonbuster

While in the air he shoots a vacuum wave.

 Ψ **3→** +X (or Y) while in the air







ARMAGGON

Height: 8' Weight: 400 lbs.

Hair: None Eyes: Red

Birth place: Earth of the future Weapons: Razor-sharp fins and teeth

Goals: This is his first step toward conquering Earth.

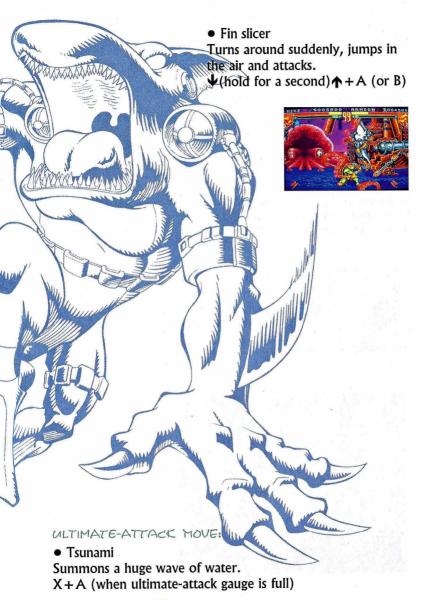
SPECIAL ATTACKS:

• Aqua shock Sends a swirling blast of water from his mouth.

 \leftarrow (hold for a second) \rightarrow + X (or Y)







CHROME DOME

Height: 5'10" Weight: 200 lbs. Hair: None

Eves: Red

Birth place: Shredder's Metal Shop

Weapons: Thunder Gauntlets

Goals: He wants to extract the "warrior"

program from his system memory.

SPECIAL ATTACKS:

Electric pile driver

While shocking an opponent with electricity, he pounds them into the ground.

◆↑+Y&B (simultaneously)



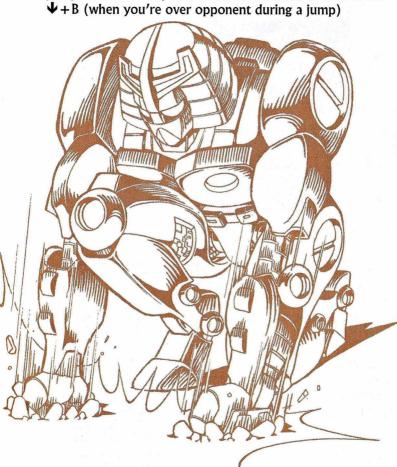
• Chrome spark
Slams both hands into the ground, creating a shock wave.

4×+× (ox Y)



Piston kick

Jump over an enemy and ram both feet into his/her head.



ULTIMATE-ATTACK MOVE:

Chrome bomb

Blows himself up and creates a wide area of damage.

X+A (when ultimate-attack gauge is full)

CYBER-SHREDDER



Height: 6'6" Weight: 280 lbs. Hair: Black

Hair: Black Eyes: Black

Birth place: Osaka, Japan Weapons: Battle armor

Goals: To regain control over the "mindless" masses of New York.

SPECIAL ATTACKS:

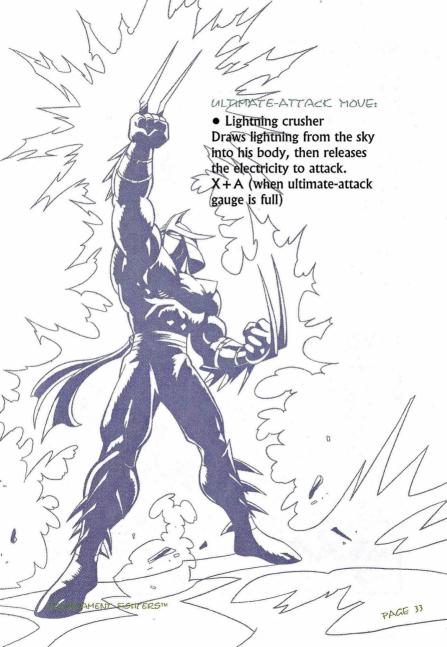
- Knee crush
 Jumps in the air and does a knee kick.
- \leftarrow (hold) \rightarrow + A (or B)
- Aura crusher
 Dashes at opponent and throws an uppercut.
- \leftarrow (hold) \rightarrow + X (or Y)
- Aura shield
 Puts up an aura barrier that bounces back an enemy attack.
 Y + B simultaneously







TEENAGE MUTANT NINJA TURTLES



RAT KING

Height: 6'6" Weight: 280 lbs. Hair: Blonde

Eyes: Beady

Birth place: Grenitch Village

Weapons: His entire body is a weapon.

Goals: To unite all rats under his power and create a kingdom of rats under the streets of New York City

SPECIAL ATTACKS:

- Rat bomber
- Rodent suplex

KARAi



ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

STAGE SELECT

In vs BATTLE mode the fighter can pick where they want to do battle. At the Stage Select screen use the control pad to move the selection box, then press the START button.



RONUS STAGE

In TOURNAMENT mode you can try the Bonus stage after winning four matches. Break the vault as much as you can within the time limit. The more damage you do, the better the bonus. Scoring a perfect round gives you a huge bonus!

COMMAND SUMMARY

- Hold means hold the control pad in that direction for a count of 1 or 2
- If a letter appears in parenthesis, for example (B), then that button can be used for a slower or shorter version of the same move.
- All Ultimate-attack moves are X+A when the gauge is full

LEONARDO

Endless screw	4∠ + X (Y)
Shining cutter	Ψ3→ + X (Y)
Roto cutter	+¥¥(Y) X+ (Y)

RAPHAEL

Chest buster	\leftarrow (hold) \rightarrow + A (B)
Jamboree	← Ľ¼¾→ +X (Y)quickly
Dawar drill	√(hold) → IV (V)

DONATELLO

Bo thrust	Tapping X (Y) quickly
Headspin attack	♥⊭← + A (B)
Ground claw	$\Psi \rightarrow + X (Y)$

MICHAELANGELO

Rising thunder	$\Psi(hold) \uparrow + X(Y)$
Dynamite bomber	\leftarrow (hold) \rightarrow + X (Y)
Dragon breath	$\leftarrow \times \vee \rightarrow + X (Y)$ quickly





WAR

Turning uppercut	\leftarrow (hold) \rightarrow +X(Y)
Death from above	V ♠+A (B)

ASKA

Spin attack	♥∠← +A (B)
Spinning uppercut	→ ル リ + X (Y)

WINGNUT

Hover	← (→)+Y&B
Moonbuster	Ψ 3→ +X (Y) while in the air
Power dive	Ψ + A (B) while in the air

ARMAGGON

Aqua shock	\leftarrow (hold) \rightarrow + X (Y)
Fin slicer	U(hold) A + A (R)

CHROME DOME

Electric pile driver	♦ ♦ † Y & B simultaneously
Chrome spark	Ψy → + X (Y)

CYNER-SHREDDER

Knee crush	\leftarrow (hold) \rightarrow + A (B)
Aura crusher	\leftarrow (hold) \rightarrow + X (Y)
Aura shield	Y&B simultaneously





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